like to know from the Government why this stand still more ? And why not the same educational fee concessions given to SC/ST people converted to Christianity ?

SRI M. MALLIKARJUNASWAMY.—That is as per the original Government order of 1958. Therefore, I have already made a statement on the floor of the House; and I reiterate the same stand that has already been taken.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಆರ್. ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸಲುನಾಯ್ಡು.—ನಮ್ಮ ಹಿಂದೂ ಸಮಾಜದಲ್ಲಿ ವರ್ಣಾಶ್ರಮಧರ್ಮಗಳು ಹೇಗಿವೆಯೋ ಹಾಗೇ ಕ್ರೈಸ್ತರಲ್ಲೂ ಇವೆ ಎಂದಾಗ ಅವರಿಗೇಕೆ ಈ ಬೆನಿಫಿಟ್ಸುಗಳನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಕೊಡ ಬಾರದು.

SRI M. MALLIKARJUNASWAMY.—That question does not arise out of this question.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

SECRETARY.—Madam Speaker, I lay on the Table of the House the First List of Un-starred Questions and Answers of Fifth Session.

MADAM SPEAKER.—It is laid on the Table.

UNSTARRED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

ENHANCEMENT OF D. A.

1. SRI G. PUTTASWAMY (Mudigere).—

Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Government had issued an order raising the D. A. payable to Government servants, teachers in aided schools and local bodies, etc ;

(*b*) whether the same has been implemented to Government servants ; if so, from what date

(*c*) whether the raise in D. A. has been given effect to in the aided schools, etc. ;

(*d*) if not, the reasons for the delay

SRI M. MALLIKAJUNASWAMY (Minister for Education)

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

1-4-1973 and 1-8-1973.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Does not arise, in view of reply to clause (*c*).